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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
In re: U.S. Patent No. 5,893,989
Issued: April 13, 1999
Applicant: Rudolf Von NIEDERHAUSEN
Serial No. 08/838,124
Filed: April 13, 1997
For: LASER MACHINING DEVICE, IN PARTICULAR FOR MACHINING TRACK RODS
Att. Docket: C-3284
Group Art Unit: 1742
Examiner: Gregory Mills
Date: November 3, 2003
RE-SUBMISSION OF PETITION FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.324

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:
On September 2, 2003, Roy Roberts from our office spoke with Supervisory Patent Examiner Gregory Mills regarding an expected Certificate of Correction in the above-captioned application. Examiner Mills indicated that the PTO had no record of the Petition for Certificate of Correction, and suggested re-submitting the Petition.
A Petition for Certificate of Correction of Inventionship, adding in the above-captioned case Gerhard BUNTING as co-inventor with Rudolf von NIEDERHAUSEN, was filed on May 24, 2002, as evidenced by the attached copy of the date-stamped filing receipt postcard. Also attached are a copy of check number 1856 for the \$130.00 petition, and copies of the


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petition papers (including a proposed Certificate of Correction (form PTO/SB/44)) as filed.

No corresponding Certificate of Correction has yet issued. Therefore, we request that the attached petition be granted, and that Certificate of Correction be promptly issued.

Respectfully submitted,

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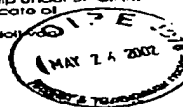
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1. Check No. 1056 for \$130.00;
2. Petition for Certificate of Correction of inventorship under 37 C.F.R. § 1.374 (in duplicate), with Form PTO/38/44 Certificate of Correction; and
3. Statement of Gerhard Bunting, Statement of Rudolf von Nidderhausen, and Statement of LASAG AG.

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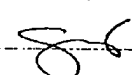
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2. Petition for Certificate of Correction of Inventorship under 37 C.F.R. § 1.324 (in duplicate), with Form PTO/SB/44 Certificate of Correction; and
3. Statement of Gerhard Bunting, Statement of Rudolf von Niederhausen, and Statement of LASAG AG.

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For: LASER MACHINING DEVICE, IN PARTICULAR FOR MACHINING MACHINING TRACK RODS)	Date: May 24, 2002

PETITION FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.324

BOX: PETITIONS DAC
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Assignee LASAG AG, and inventors Rudolf von NIEDERHÄUSERN, Tschingel, Switzerland, and Gerhard BUNTING, Thun, Switzerland, hereby earnestly request and petition that U.S. Patent No. 5,893,989 be corrected as to inventorship. As issued, this patent named only Rudolf von NIEDERHÄUSERN as an inventor. This error occurred without any deceptive intent.

Therefore in accordance with 35 U.S.C. § 256 and more specifically 37 C.F.R. § 1.324 each of the above-mentioned parties submits that Gerhard BUNTING should be added as an inventor and that the error in inventorship occurred without deceptive intent. Moreover, Rudolf von NIEDERHÄUSERN and Mr. A. Fiechter representing LASAG AG, state that they agree to

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this correction of inventorship.

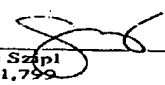
The present submissions, including the three enclosed statements along with the requisite fee in the amount of \$130.00 attached herewith as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(b) fully comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.324 for the submission of a petition to correct inventorship in a patent.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or any additional fees which may be further required in this application, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1281, under an order number which corresponds to the above attorney docket number. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.

As such, LASAG AG and the above-mentioned co-inventors do hereby petition and earnestly request a certificate correcting an error in inventorship without deceptive intent, by issuance of a Certificate of Correction. A proposed Certificate of Correction (form PTO/SB/44) is attached hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

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**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

PATENT NO : 5,893,989
DATED : April 13, 1999
INVENTOR(S) : Rudolf Von NIEDERHÄUSEN and Gerhard BUNTING

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

(75) Inventors: Rudolf von Niederhäusern, Tschingel, Switzerland and
Gerhard Bunting, Thun, Switzerland

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STATEMENT

Concerning US Patent No. 5,893,989 issued on April 13, 1999

The inventorship error of failing to include Gerhard Bunting as an inventor of the device claimed in the patent occurred without any deceptive intention on my part.

Gerhard Bunting

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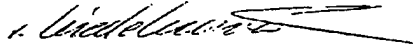
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The inventorship error of failing to include Gerhard Bunting as an inventor of the device claimed in the patent occurred without any deceptive intention on my part.

I fully recognize Mr. G. Bunting as co-inventor and agree therefore to the change of the inventorship, by adding Mr. G. Bunting as inventor.

Rudolf von Niederhäusern



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STATEMENT

Concerning US Patent No. 5,893,989 issued on April 13, 1999 and assigned to
LASAG AG

LASAG AG, represented by Mr. A. Piechter, declares to agree with the change of
the inventorship of the above-mentioned US Patent, by adding Mr. G. Bunting
as inventor together with Mr. R. von Niederhäusern already mentioned.

A. Piechter, General Manager

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